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Homeseekers Flock to Prosperous California

Sonoma County Hops Have Commercial "Kick in 'Em"

Santa Rosa, Feb. 15.—It was predicted several years ago when California "went dry," that the hop industry would be killed dead, never to survive. The demand today is greater than the supply. Over one million pounds of hops already have been contracted for, and the remainder of the crop will soon be taken.

Alameda Improving Her Thoroughfares

Alameda, Feb. 14.—Alameda is not the slow going residence burg of former history. The city is assuming the appearance of one of the most attractive residential districts in Central California. Over seven miles of the city's streets are being repaved, manufacturing industries are coming in and the people are prospering.

Western Pacific's Building Program

Sacramento, Feb. 15.—The Western Pacific Railway announces a \$6,000,000 development program, which calls for the electrification of the Marysville shops, a new freight depot at Reno, enlargement of Oakland and Sacramento shops and other improvements.

PULL TEETH WITH FINGERS

Japanese Dentist Has Long Appreciation of the Art.

The Japanese dentist pulls out a tooth with his fingers, and needs long practice to be able to extract a firm molar by this means. And to attain it the dentist is apprenticed to a master.

A board of pine wood lies on the ground; holes are bored in it, and in each stands a little peg of soft wood. These the student must pluck out with thumb and forefinger. When he is perfect in this he is promoted to an oak board and oak pegs, then to seasoned wood into which pegs have been driven with a hammer, says the Detroit News. When he can remove these without twisting or shaking he is qualified, and no wisdom tooth can withstand him.

A capable athlete of this kind can extract half a dozen teeth in a minute without removing his fingers from the patient's mouth, according to some statements.

NARROW ESCAPE

"Do I understand," said the young man, firmly, "that you absolutely decline to let me marry your daughter?"

"I do," replied her father, firmly. "Sir," said the young man, reaching for his hat, "will you shake hands on parting?"

"Of course," said the father, surprised. "And I am glad to see that you take your disappointment so well."

"Yes," said the young man, "and if you'll allow me, I am going to send you a box of cigars, too. You don't know how near that daughter of yours came to having me hooked."

AND THEN WHAT

Indignant Customer—Really, Mr. Gubbins, you get dearer and dearer every day.

Grocer—Not so loud, ma'am. My wife's very jealous.

THE TERMINAL is on file in all the public libraries in Contra Costa county and has hundreds of readers.

Los Angeles Must Go Some to Beat S. F.'s Record

San Francisco, Feb. 15.—According to a report submitted by the "New Business" department of the chamber of commerce of this city 465 new commercial and industrial enterprises were started in January, which is a record breaker for Pacific Coast cities. It is stated that a large percentage of the new firms were from Southern California.

Labor Turns Capitalist In Valley City

Bakersfield, Feb. 15.—Organized labor of Bakersfield seem to have the "kale," or have good backing. Word is sent out from this prosperous city that the National Bank of Bakersfield has been sold to the labor organizations. The price said to have been paid is \$100,000.

"Political Irony"

To the Editor of the Terminal: It has been "discovered" that Richmond's city jail is in an unsanitary condition. Chief Wood says the jail has been in bad condition for the past four years. It is suggested that the jail be centrally located. If this is done, the bootleggers will probably take like action. The change would save much fire rubber, and be a convenience all around. By all means, transfer the Point "house" to the outside. And while changes are in order, why not start the city hall west-bound toward Tenth street? It is long overdue for a change of base. PINTO.

"BULL TERRIER" OF STREAMS

Many Anglers Consider Black Bass Gamest and Trickiest of All Fish.

The black bass will practice more unexpected schemes to free himself from the hook, and is much trickier than the trout. The black bass and the bull terrier have many traits in common, and indeed the bass is an aquatic terrier. When the bass feels the prick of a hook his whole nature asserts itself and he distinctly exhibits the fact he is mad, says the Sportsman's Digest. His entire combative qualities rise in rebellion and he makes the line hiss through the water in his savage struggles for freedom.

Every trick device at his command is exerted to the limit. He will run around stumps, dive under rocks, shoot into the air, shake himself, throw his whole weight upon the line, and dart in every direction until he frees himself or succumbs to exhaustion.

Nothing that lives will make a braver and gamier fight than a black bass, and when he surrenders it is certain that he is completely done for.

WHAT OF IT?

The name of a station on a Michigan railway is Sawyers Mills, but usually it is called, for convenience, Sawyer.

A rural couple on one of the trains attracted much attention on one occasion by their evident fondness for each other, until the brakeman stuck his head through the doorway and called out: "Sawyer! Sawyer!"

The man suddenly assumed the perpendicular and indignantly exclaimed:

"I don't care if you did; we've been engaged three weeks."

Late President Harding Was Good Type Sticker

The Fairbanks (Alaska) News-Miner of recent date contained the following eulogy to the late President Harding:

"President Warren G. Harding's last bit of hand-set type—set while visiting this office during his trip to the Territory last summer, was presented to the Associated Press at its annual meeting in New York City. The type was brought from Alaska by W. F. Thompson, editor of the Fairbanks paper, and turned over to William Allen White, editor of the Emporia (Kan.) Gazette who in turn presented the memento to the Associated Press."

President Harding was a practical printer of the old school, and was an honorary member of the International Typographical union at the time of his death.

W. M. Veale to Represent Third

San Francisco, Feb. 15.—Selection of candidates for delegates at large to the statewide convention of the League of Coolidge Republican Clubs of California will be held in this city Feb. 25. Delegates selected from the 3d district are as follows:

J. W. S. Butler, Sacramento. W. M. Veale, Martinez. Alternates—F. S. Israel, Stockton; Bismarck Bruck, St. Helena.

BELLS IN OLD NETHERLANDS

Each Principal Town Proud of its Municipal Carillon, Which Are Not Chimes.

With scarcely an exception each principal town of the ancient Netherlands, both north and south, early established its municipal carillon and maintained it with devoted spirit. In northern France, too, and here and there in border towns of western Germany, bell towers have long existed.

A carillon is a set of bells, attuned to intervals of the chromatic scale, many in number, sometimes four octaves or more, the lowest often several tons in weight, with each succeeding bell smaller, so that in the highest octave the weight of the bell is scarcely 20 pounds, and hung fixed—that is, so as not to swing, says the Detroit News. The bells of a carillon are connected with a keyboard by means of which a bell-master or carillonneur causes their clapper to strike the inside of their sound bow, and with a clockwork mechanism which causes a hammer to strike the outside.

The difference between a carillon and a chime is that the carillon is essentially chromatic in its intervals, while the chime is essentially diatonic, which means proceeding by tones as opposed to chromatic, which proceeds by semi-tones.

HE WAS HEAVILY FINED.

An American motoring through a small Scottish town was pulled up for excessive speed.

"Didn't you see that notice, 'Dead Slow'?" asked the policeman.

"Of course I did," said the American, "but I thought it meant your town."

ODD FELLOW

Guy—Waters has an odd case of absent-mindedness. Girl—Really?

Guy—Yes, he's just back from a motorboat cruise, and the other night he sat down in the bath and bailed it out until the whole floor was flooded.—New York Sun.

NOT LIKE BASEBALL

"Then you don't get much out of football?"

"No, I don't feel capable of advising the managers."

Telephone Building at 21st Delayed

The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Building, now being constructed at 21st and Macdonald avenue, is handicapped in the excavation work by water. With the foundation work completed the building will go up rapidly, states the contractor.

The building will contain all the modern conveniences, a cafeteria being one of the features for the accommodation of the employees. When future business demands, additional stories will be added.

General Comment

A London scientist has invented the octophone, which is said to be one of the wonders of the age. By means of the octophone a deaf person can hear normal sounds transmitted not through the diaphragm of his ears but through the bones of his skull, his elbow joint or the knuckles of his hand direct to the brain.

The red brick house where Wilson died is situated in a quiet residential street, a mile from the white house. Secretary of Commerce Hoover lives two doors away and Ex-President Taft's house is just around the corner. The Wilson home will no doubt be made a shrine for thousands of visitors who visit the capital daily from everywhere. The residence will be preserved as a memento left by the war president.

If anybody beyond the walls of your burg ever learns that there is such a place as your city it will be through the home newspaper. It's the wagon that carries all your goods to market. The home paper is the guardian and defender of every interest, the forerunner and pioneer of every movement, and the sturdy advocate of law and order.

California's tax rate tops the list with a tax of about \$70 per capita. The federal income tax per capita is \$10.63 and state and local taxes per capita are \$59.86. These are the figures given by the U. S. Internal Revenue bureau.

QUICK ACTION

American Housewife—Tobe, I'm sorry to hear your wife has got a divorce.

"Yesum; she's gone back to Alabama."

"Who will do my washing now?" "Well, mum, I've courtin' again, and I courts rapid."

MAYBE BOTH

Wife—This pudding is a sample of the new cook's work. What do you think of it?

Husband—I call it mediocre. Wife—Oh, no, dear; it's tapoon.—Progressive Grocer.

DREAMS ARE CHEAP

Wife—I dreamed last night that I had a perfectly lovely hat.

Hub—That's the first dream of a hat you ever had that didn't cost me money.—London Answers.

DRUDGERY

Truth will out; even in advertisements, as another misprint shows: "Wanted, a general servant to do the work of a small horse."—London News.

BAD ADVICE AND GOOD

Mr. Beaver—The young puppy told me to go and plant potatoes in my whiskers!

His Friend—Never mind what he says—don't you do it!

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Mission District Is to Have Fine Bank Building

San Francisco, Feb. 15.—The Mission district in this city is to have one of the most attractive bank buildings in the state. The structure as planned will cost a quarter of a million dollars.

Redwoods to Be Kept Growing in State

St. Bragg, Feb. 15.—Reforestation of cut-over forest lands has started here in earnest, and the extermination of the giant trees which advertise California all over the world will not be permitted. The Union Lumber Co., with 18 men, is now replanting a 640 acre tract with new redwoods, set 8 feet apart. This is only a starter in the good work.

WOULD YOU LIVE TO BE 150?

Then You Should Sleep With Head Pointing North—Charles Dickens Tried It.

If you want to live to be one hundred and fifty years old, then you should sleep with the head pointing north. So says the head of a new school of medical treatment in New Jersey. He explains that the north and south position allows the earth's magnetic current to sweep through the body. Those who take a daytime nap, however, he goes on to explain, should sleep with the head to the east and the feet to the west because of the direction of the sun's vibrations.

There has long been a popular belief that sleeping with the head to the north insures good health and a long life.

Charles Dickens always insisted that his bed be placed in this position, and he even carried a compass in his luggage to insure the correct location. But Dickens died when he was only fifty-eight years old, indicating that the charm doesn't always work in all cases, or with all persons.

AQUATIC MOCKING BIRDS

A doctor and his Irish coachman were driving past a duck pond when the coachman said: "Oi hate thim birds, sorr."

"Why should you hate the poor creatures, Pat?" asked the doctor. "I'm sure they never do you any harm."

"Sur, sorr, don't you hear thim mocking you? You never pass thim but they call 'quack, quack, quack!'"

HE CAUGHT IT

"You look flustered, old man."

"I've been chasing a hat."

"Did your hat blow off?"

"It wasn't my hat; it belonged to a pretty girl."

"Did you catch it?"

"Yes; my wife saw me chasing it."—Boston Transcript.

TOO BAD!

His Friend—I hear you failed in your effort to swim the English channel?

The Human Fish—Yes. It was very annoying. Just as I was nearing the French coast, I discovered that I had forgotten my passports and had to turn back.

MRS. MALAPROP

At a party the husband of one of the guests arrived very late.

"I have only come to take my wife home," he explained.

"Oh, my dear Mr. Blank," said the gushing hostess, "why didn't you come sooner?"

AT THE TICKET WINDOW

"Is this seat near the stage?"

"Yes, madam, if it were any nearer, you'd have to be in the play yourself."

Laura H. Ryan, Keas Estate.

Tax Burden Borne by People Is Heavy Load

P. G. & E. Extension Into Ygnacio Valley

Walnut Creek, Feb. 15.—Owing to the rapid settling up of Ygnacio Valley, the P. G. & E. is extending its lines into this productive valley to accommodate the new residents.

Recovers From Last Year's Fire

Boyes Springs, Feb. 14.—The big timber fire did not annihilate Boyes Springs or discourage its people. Another new hotel is going up at a cost of \$35,000. From the ashes of the fire have sprung several hundred thousand dollars' worth of modern improvements. Boyes Springs is now one of the greatest resorts in California.

Classy Auto Tops

The American Auto Top Co. at 248 14th street is now conducted by H. R. Russell, he having taken over the business. Mr. Russell is an excellent auto top tailor, and his work bears the imprint of an expert mechanic. He is doing a good business and is an excellent young man, deserving of a share of the motoring public's patronage.

IT WAS IN THE TERMINAL

CHINESE PARADISE A MOUNTAIN

It is named the Mount of the Gods.

The Chinese have a mythical celestial mountain—Kwen-Lun—or "Pearl mountain." Paradise is situated on its top from which the four great rivers of the world flow out of a living fountain. Around the mountain revolve the visible heavens. The nearer stars are supposed to be the abode of inferior gods and geni, according to the Detroit News. To this day the Taoists speak of the first person of the trinity of their creed as residing on the "Metropolis of the Pearl mountain," and in addressing him turn their faces to the north.

The Egyptians, Babylonians, Assyrians, Persians and Hindus all believed that at the north and south poles of the earth there were towering mountains which, in their imagination, reached up into the infinite spaces. The northern mountain was called the "Mount of the Gods" and to the deities enthroned upon its top they paid their worship and addresses. The southern mountain was known as the "Mount of Demons." Some authorities identify it with the mountain referred to in the Egyptian "Book of the Dead."

Mrs. Oldham—Does your ancestry include many great men?

Mr. Newgill—Only my great-grandfather and he didn't amount to much.

QUICK WORK

"You say he reached the top of the ladder of fame by knocking out the champion?"

"Yes, sir. Went up the ladder in three rounds."—Judge.

INTERVALS OF QUIET

Brown—How many stops has your organ?

Jones (father of musical family)—Four—breakfast, dinner, tea and supper.

ROMANCE AND THE MART

"She married him because of his title."

"Strange," exclaimed Miss Cayenne, "what a lot a title has to do with producing a best seller!"

Comparative Figures Show Startling Increase

The enormous tax burden borne by the people of this country is indicated by figures just made public, showing that taxes collected by the federal government, states and counties, and other civil divisions in 1923 amounted to \$7,859,163,000, an average of \$72.29 per person. As compared with 1912, revenues from state taxes increased 183%, county taxes 141%, municipal taxes 80%, and federal taxes 444%.

In this connection A. F. Hockenberry, vice-president and treasurer of the Pacific Gas and Electric company, states that a substantial contribution toward the expense of maintaining the government of California will be made when the Pacific Gas and Electric company hands to the state treasurer during the month of February, 1924, its check for \$1,070,075.18 covering the second installment for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1924, of taxes on its gross receipts from operation.

The company's taxes in 1923, including taxes payable to the federal government, amounted to slightly in excess of \$4,000,000, representing over ten cents out of every dollar of revenue received, and aggregating almost a million dollars more than the total amount paid in dividends to its 23,000 preferred stockholders during the year.

QUEER FISH IN DRY PONDS

Some Live for Years in Baked Mud—Methods of Hibernation Little Known.

Many fish hibernate but the phenomenon is not very well understood. Certain fish in the temperate zones hibernate, but they do not fall into a condition of complete torpidity, as hibernating reptiles and mammals do. However, their vital functions are lowered and they hide in sheltered holes and cease to go abroad to search for food.

Other species, especially in the tropics, survive long droughts by passing the dry season in a perfectly torpid state, imbedded deep in the mud. A few species prepare themselves a cavity coated inside with a layer of hardened mucus which preserves them from complete desiccation, says the Detroit News.

In India, it is said, fish survive more than one season in ponds which are dry for several years. Even though the bottom of the pond has been dry for over a year, when the water releases them from the mud, fish come out apparently none the worse for their experience.

ELECTRIC UNITS EXPLAINED

Kilowatt Hours Made Intelligible to the Uninitiated Outsider Who Pays the Bill.

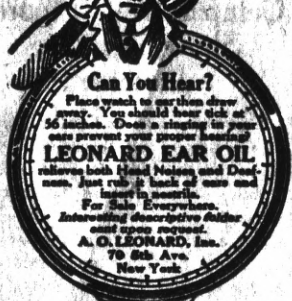
Bills for the use of electric current are usually made out on the basis of the "kilowatt hours" of current consumed.

On all pieces of electric equipment one will find certain information stating the number of amperes required. Now if one multiplies the volts by the amperes one will get watts, says the Detroit News. If one multiplies these watts by the number of hours one uses the piece of equipment, one gets watt-hours. "Kilo" comes from the Greek, and means a thousand. So when one divides the watt-hours by 1,000 and multiplies by cost per kilowatt, one has the cost of operation. "V" stands for volts, "A" for amperes and "KWH" for kilowatt-hours.

Sure Relief FOR INDIGESTION

BELL-ANS
INDIGESTION
6 BELL-ANS
Hot water
Sure Relief
BELL-ANS
25¢ AND 75¢ PACKAGES EVERYWHERE

DO NOT TRY THE DO THIS WATCH TEST



Base Canard?
The boy furrowed his brow over the examination question. "What is a canard?" At last he wrote down his reply. "Something you can't believe." He still finds it painful to sit down.—London Post.

DEMAND "BAYER" ASPIRIN

Take Tablets Without Fear If You See the Safety "Bayer Cross."

Warning! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer Aspirin proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for 23 years. "Say 'Bayer' when you buy Aspirin. Imitations may prove dangerous.—Adv.

City Without Movies

A city has been discovered where the moving picture is unknown. It is Amoy, in southern China, with 120,000 inhabitants. No amusements prevail, except mah-jongg, and that is restricted to the houses of mandarins and wealthy merchants.

"CASCARETS" FOR LIVER AND BOWELS—10c A BOX

Cures Bilelessness, Constipation, Sick Headache, Indigestion, Drug stores. Adv.

A Slight Error

Jack—I heard that you opened a grocery store and was sent to jail. Blake—How so? Jack—It belonged to another man.—Town Topics.

One application of Roman Eye Balsam will prove how true it is for sore eyes. Costs only 25 cents. 211 Pearl St., N. Y. Adv.

A man never kicks if his name is misspelled in the police records of a newspaper.

Always

A safe and soothing remedy for cuts, burns, bruises, redness, itching, and sore throats.

Vaseline

PETROLEUM JELLY
Crescent Chemical Co., Inc., New York



Sore Throat

Nothing more powerful in the presence of saliva than pure Carbolic Acid. Zonite can be freely used as a gargle or throat spray at sufficient strength to destroy all germs and soothe with which it comes in contact.

The prescription with which Zonite is prepared has been used for years by thousands of doctors of this new form of antiseptic.

Zonite

AS SHOWN IN DRUG STORES AND ADVERTISING

CASCARET QUININE

FOR THE TREATMENT OF MALARIA AND FEVERS

PARSONS' HAIR BALM

FOR THE TREATMENT OF DANDRUFF AND ITCHING SCALP

HINDERCOINS

FOR THE TREATMENT OF RHEUMATISM AND GOUT

HERRIN K. K. LEADER DEFIES MILITIA RULE

ACTING RULER REFUSES TO BE OUSTED BY COMMANDER

TROOPERS WELCOMED AS GUARD OF PEACE

Fifteen Companies Ordered to "Bloody Herrin" to Enforce Quiet at Point of Bayonet—Mayor and Sheriff Implicated in Killing.

Herrin, Ill.—Mayor C. E. Anderson, Sheriff George Galligan, and nine men who shot Glenn Young, temporary chief of police, charges are professional gunmen deputized by Galligan were arrested by military authorities and charged with the murder of Constable Caesar Cagle, Klan leader, shot and killed when he entered a hall where a meeting was held by Klan forces.

Herrin, Ill.—Despite 1,500 militia rifles bristling in Herrin's streets, S. Glenn Young, hired by the Ku Klux Klan to clean up Williamson county, defies General Milton J. Foreman to oust him as the town's dictator.

Surrounded by his armed bodyguard, Young patrolled his two automobiles and told General Foreman: "All the king's horses and all the king's men can't drag me away from here until you have martial law in force."

General Foreman, arriving to take command of the national guardsmen in the county, asked Governor Len Small to proclaim martial law, ordered Young to step out of his nominal position as acting chief of police, and ordered John Ford, the actual chief, to take command of the force again.

At first Young acquiesced and even agreed to leave the county if General Foreman insisted. Later, however, Young learned that Governor Small had declined to proclaim Williamson county under martial law. He consulted attorneys who told him that Foreman was without power to oust him until he is authorized to administer the county under martial law.

Learning this, Young, an inconspicuous figure in his dominant and sanguinary position, short, unimpressive, and middle aged, hastened to shout his defiance at Foreman. The general's hands are tied by the legal points cited, despite his two regiments of troops.

Chief of Police Ford, who was arrested by Sheriff George Galligan for complicity in the shooting of Deputy Sheriff John Layman, refused to obey Foreman's order to resume control of the police.

Ford has acted under Young's orders throughout the latter's operations as liquor raider among the foreign populace of the county, in the prohibition enforcement, campaign launched by the Ku Klux Klan.

Murphysboro, Ill.—Miners in twelve mines in the territory between Herrin and Murphysboro walked out with the intention, according to reports here, of organizing to "oust the Klan from Williamson county." Miners from the Herrin district were the first to quit, according to reports here.

ONLY ONE GUARD UNIT RATED "EXCELLENT" IN ATTENDANCE

Sacramento.—Only one unit of the California national guard is given a rating of "excellent" for drill attendance during 1923, in a report just issued here by Adjutant General Mittelstaedt. The unit is the medical detachment of the 25th regiment of the coast artillery corps, located in San Francisco and San Diego. The rating of excellent is based upon drill attendance of between 80 and 100 per cent of the membership.

Three units are given a rating of "very good"—70 to 79 per cent—and eleven are given a rating of "satisfactory"—60 to 69 per cent. The attendance of twenty other units is reported "unsatisfactory"—50 to 59 per cent; thirteen are listed as "poor"—40 to 49 per cent, and ten very poor—below 40 per cent in attendance.

WATCH FOUND ON SUSPECT BRANDS HIM AS "LOVE WOLF"

Santa Barbara.—A telegram received from Tiffany's, New York jeweler, identifying the watch found on Arthur Lelippe, burglar caught by police here, brands him as the "love wolf" who for months last summer looted sumptuous homes of Montecito and Santa Barbara millionaires, defying police and securing more than \$75,000 worth of jewelry.

This was the statement of local police after receipt of the message which disclosed that the watch was sold to C. K. G. Billings at Montecito and New York. The watch was stolen from the Billings home here.

Building Shows Gain

Chicago.—Building programs went ahead at a 10 per cent faster clip in January, 1924, than in the first month of 1923, according to the S. W. Strauss construction poll. Notable gains include New York, \$10,000,000; Los Angeles, \$1,000,000; Long Beach, \$1,000,000; and Houston, Texas, \$1,350,000.

Constantinople.—Mustapha Kemal Pasha has summoned all army corps commanders to Smyrna for a council. Army maneuvers will follow.

MARKETS

NEWS, COMMENT AND FIGURES

San Francisco, Feb. 9, 1924.

Grain Review.—All cash grain markets were active last week in San Francisco. Recent rains lowered the ideas of buyers to some extent, although sellers were still firm and did not offer in quantity as expected. It is anticipated that offerings in the country will be more liberal as tax time approaches.

Wheat was rather firm, with a good demand from chicken feeders; some wheat came in from the north at prices less than California's. The southern part of the state absorbed most of the offerings from the San Joaquin and Salinas valleys at higher prices than could be paid at San Francisco.

Barley was very inactive, the roller mills declining to purchase at current prices. Shipping interests took only the better grades at somewhat lower prices than the week before.

Corn declined in the east early in the week, but became strong later, with weather there as the cause. California corn sold in small volume, being higher than eastern and still with large content of moisture.

Livestock Review

The hog market was slow with light butchers fully 25c lower than a week ago. Most receipts were from California. The most of the California hogs received have weighed around 150 to 200 lbs. and were unloaded at \$3.50@3.75 per 100. Medium weight kinds or those weighing up to 250 lbs. from \$7.25@8.25, few smooth heavy packing hogs received at \$6.00@7, according to weight, rough packing hogs worth down to \$4.00, and slaughter pigs steady at \$7.00@8, according to size.

The cattle market was steady on all classes with good steers up a quarter over a week ago. Reports from the country indicate holders of steers that are ready for market are asking steady to higher prices. The cattle receipts have augmented mainly in the intermountain states of Nevada, Idaho, Utah and Colorado with a few cars of California received. A few loads of good steers came in from \$2.25@2.50 per 100, with medium kinds down to \$7.25 and the common end from \$5.00@7.25. Cars are steady with good young cows and heifers in killing flesh worth around \$6.50, and medium and common grades from \$3.00@5.25. Calves are steady with receipts of plain quality light vealers 190 lbs. down worth \$3.00@3.50, 190 to 240 lb. weights from \$7.00@8, and those weighing over 250 lbs. from \$8.25@7.50, beef bulls steady at \$3.75@4.25 and bolognas down to \$2.75.

The lamb market has remained fully steady with a week ago. The demand for dressed lamb and mutton has been very slow with a price reduction on the heavier lambs. This has not yet affected the cost price of cars of the lambs received at this market. Several decks of Idaho and Utah fed lambs of 75 to 85 lb. weights have been received at a cost of \$12.50@13.50 per 100. Heavy lambs have been slow and most of this class of stuff has been coming in at \$11.00@12.00 per 100. Ewes have been in good demand, with very few received and these have been weighed off cars at around \$7.00@7.25. Wethers are steady, this week two carloads of yearling wethers were received at \$9.50. This class is worth up to \$10.50 depending on weight.

Hay Market Review

January was active in the hay market. The weather created an abnormal demand for alfalfa and stock hay all over the state. Prices advanced and trading has been heavy. Arrivals of hay for the past week was 1,878 tons, compared with 1,935 tons of the previous week. Port and coast shipping have been heavy, especially coastwise trade for stock feed. The government is shipping regularly and Hawaiian and Pacific trade have been well sustained. Interior trading has been unusually strong, most of it for shipping direct to the stock and sheep ranges, where feeding conditions have become acute and actually dangerous.

Alfalfa is higher, with the demand exceeding supply. The more remote sections in the far north of California, also Nevada, Oregon and even Washington are being drawn upon to supply the pressure of the emergency requirements. Shipments to Atlantic and gulf states have absorbed much stored and nearby alfalfa supply.

Grain and millfeed markets are steady, with prices unchanged. Wheat is stronger. Coconut meal is unchanged. Alfalfa is in sympathy with alfalfa, is moving rapidly at higher prices. The local stock is at most exhausted and mills in the interior of Oregon and Washington are being drawn on for our state demand, especially in southern California.

New 50-Yard Hurdle Record

New York.—A new world's indoor record of 6 3-5 seconds for the 50-yard high hurdles was set by Karl Anderson of the Illinois athletic club, in capturing this event at the Millrose track and field carnival in Madison Square garden.

Jewelry Store Robbed

Los Angeles.—Three men were handcuffed and a downtown jewelry store robbed of \$15,000 in jewels. Five valuable diamond rings and considerable cash were taken.

CALIFORNIA NEWS BRIEFS

"Newspaper advertising is, I believe, the most profitable for the average retail furniture dealer. Other mediums are good, but the newspaper is the most dependable, the most easily employed and reaches the greatest number of possible patrons at probably the least cost. It will certainly repay consistent use," declared A. D. Smith of Barker Bros., Los Angeles, one of the largest furniture stores in the world, at the luncheon of the Furniture Dealers' convention and market week, at the Palace Hotel, San Francisco. "The average merchant today has not a full realization of what advertising can do for him. He should not be afraid of overdoing the advertising appeal. When the furniture advertising begins to approach the power of the automobile appeal, for instance, the industry will enjoy the greatest business in its history."

John V. Hendrix, convicted murderer, awaiting execution at San Quentin, told the authorities at San Diego a story of a sensational confession which he says Everett Drew Clark made to him in a cell of the county jail, January 22, in which he says Clark told him of killing George E. Schick and of the efforts made to dispose of the remains of the wealthy real estate broker, who disappeared from San Diego, February 7 of last year. Hendrix said Clark told him he dismembered the body and attempted to burn it, but did not succeed, after which he put the body in a box, but would not tell what he did with the box.

Numerous civic and business organizations throughout the state have endorsed the movement inaugurated by the California farm bureau federation to raise funds to aid the state engineer to complete a survey of the water resources of California. Among the bodies which acted favorably on the project within a week were the Kiwanis club of Visalia, the Real Estate Association of Fresno, the American Legion of Bakersfield and the California Development association.

Sacramento, Woodland and Dixon business men have organized a \$10,000 oil company, the Petroleum Producers, Inc., with Woodland as headquarters and A. T. Spencer of Sutter county, president of the state reclamation board, heading the board of directors. The company owns 160 acres of land near Taft, Kern county, located between naval oil reserves Nos. 1 and 2, now involved in the Teapot Dome scandal.

Mystery surrounding the holdup of the Pike Branch of the Pacific Southwest Trust and Savings bank at Long Beach, November 27, was cleared when George Lamarr confessed. He said he dressed himself as a laborer and entered the bank during the noon hour, showed a note, demanding \$500 under the window to the cashier and was handed a package of currency containing \$2,500.

Police of San Diego searched the Tijuanita highway in the vicinity of the Sweetwater valley for a mysterious person believed to be a religious fanatic. Passing motorists on route to Tijuanita have been fired at recently, the shots coming from a spot on the side of the road where a short time ago there stood a sign reading, "This is the road to hell."

Many Catholic dignitaries including the Most Rev. Pietro Fumasoni-Biondi, apostolic delegate to the United States, and prelates from practically every diocese in the west, participated in the formal reopening of St. Vibiana's cathedral at Los Angeles, built in 1876, but closed last year for repairs and enlargements.

Charles A. Stephens, charged with the murder of his wife, Katie Stephens, on the family ranch near Hanford, October 31, was found not guilty. Mrs. Stephens was slain in the kitchen of the ranch home with a shotgun. Stephens pleaded accidental shooting.

Three bandits entered the Bureka Valley branch of the Bank of Italy at San Francisco, shortly after it opened at 9 o'clock and, after locking six employees and two patrons in the vault, escaped with \$7,000 which they gathered from the counters.

Alexander Pantagos, operator of a chain of theaters, was arrested at Los Angeles on a federal indictment following the showing of a motion picture film, alleged to have been taken of the Dempsey-Tyrpoo championship fight in New York City.

Fifty-seven chambers of commerce throughout the state, representing a membership of 100,000, have officially endorsed the Mellon tax reduction plan and sent resolutions urging support of it to California congressmen.

Combined assets of the commercial, savings and trust banks of California, total well over \$2,000,000,000 and during the period between September 14, 1923, and December 31, there was an increase of \$70,337,000.

Perkeley's "Sleeping Tom" has been captured and has confessed to annoying co-eds at the university for some time. He is a student at the college of commerce of the university.

The state agricultural department discloses that the consumption of milk within the state has increased 20 per cent since the Volstead act was enacted.

City Manager J. O. Warner of Marysville Has Resigned

Yuba City's new quarter million dollar school building is occupied. The assessed valuation of timber land in Shasta county will be raised 10 per cent this year.

Stockton now claims a population of 53,000 and offers a convincing set of statistics to prove it.

Ronald Stroup, deputy auditor of Yolo county, resigned to accept employment with an oil company.

Samuel Stow, son of the late Sherman P. Stow, wealthy resident of Santa Barbara county, died at Manila.

San Jose has begun a drive for the annexation of the exclusive residential Hester district with its 10,000 population.

Seventeen Los Angeles boys and girls, between 9 and 22, were reported to the police as missing within forty-eight hours.

Plans have been ordered for the construction of a primary school building to cost \$120,000 that will be erected by St. Patrick's church at San Jose.

A compromise between the theatrical federation and the allied amusement industries averted a strike which threatened to darken every theatre in San Francisco.

The looting of thirty-five peninsula homes in four months was confessed by Albert Bruhus to Burlingame authorities, who claim Bruhus has a Police record.

Lumber mills in the Feather River canyon are preparing for 1924 operations; and the present intention of most of the companies is to start cutting about March 15.

Federal Judge Charles Lynch of Newark, N. J., transferred to San Francisco to aid in relieving the congested federal court calendar, has assumed his official duties.

Robert Morrison, young Prescott, Ariz., attorney, found unconscious at a Pine valley lodge, sixty miles from San Diego, January 30, was unable to recollect what happened to him.

Manford B. Reed, former deputy city marshal of Hanford, doing night duty, was found guilty of first degree burglary. During his tenure a dozen stores were robbed of \$5,000 in merchandise.

Sonoma county raises the bulk of the hops grown on the Pacific coast and the product of its yards always brings slightly higher prices than those grown in the east and elsewhere.

The Flynn Salvage company has bought the wrecks of the seven destroyers on the reef at Point Honda and have resumed salvaging where the Chapman Salvage company left off weeks ago.

A movement for the erection of a new governor's mansion has been started by Sacramento Parlor, No. 3, Native Sons, and letters asking that the press take up the movement have been sent out.

One hundred and twelve blank postal money orders of the 124 series January 17 from the San Diego post office were recovered following the arrest at Fresno of Ralph Cordova and wife on charges of forgery.

Government engineers have begun a survey of the Feather river from Marysville and Yuba City to its convergence with the Sacramento river to determine the feasibility of restoring navigation on the latter stream.

The United States veterans bureau reports the purchase of 560 acres of land in the foothills of the San Fernando valley for building a hospital of the cottage-unit type. It is to be located a few miles out of Los Angeles.

Rev. C. C. Black, former Woodland pastor, charged with "conduct unbecoming a minister," was acquitted by an ecclesiastical jury composed of nine ministers, which returned its verdict after only fifteen minutes of deliberation.

George V. Oldham, 17, of San Jose, was sentenced to spend four years in Preston reform school for running down and fatally injuring J. J. Rector and Charles W. Bacon, October 21. After striking the two men Oldham sped on.

Robbers looted the Clovis State Bank of cash between \$10,000 and \$15,000 and escaped. The thugs locked Thomas Howison, Jr., assistant cashier, in a vault, holding E. R. Rayburn, vice-president, at bay while they gathered the cash.

The new state highway to the Sequoia national park was officially opened January 12. This gives automobile travel to the beautiful canyon of the main Kaweah river, generally known as the middle fork section of the Sequoia national park.

The total production of crude oil in the state for the year 1923 (preliminary figures from the American petroleum institute) was 283,000,000 barrels, against a production of 139,000,000 barrels in 1922, the largest output of any previous year.

The ears of Paul L. Wine, 28, of San Diego, are functioning after twenty-five years of insensibility, the result of a 3,500-foot nose dive in an aeroplane. The young man lost his hearing at the age of 3, when he fell striking the back of his head.

Four Sacramento school boys were victims of a vicious "hazing" at the hands of their schoolmates, members of the Euclid club. Two were confined to their beds, one of them confessing that he had been forced to cut his own wrists with a razor.

Buried treasure seekers at Pebble Beach have caused several residents of the fashionable colony to employ guards to protect their properties and to assist the officials of Monterey in an effort to trace the hunters. Tunnels have been dug under some of the magnificent cypress trees along Seventeen Mile drive.



ASPIRIN
SAY "BAYER" when you buy—Genuine
Proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for

Colds Headache Neuralgia Lumbago
Pain Toothache Neuritis Rheumatism

Genuine—Accept only "Bayer" package which contains proven directions.
Handy "Bayer" boxes of 12 tablets. Also bottles of 24 and 100—Druggists.

Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer. Manufacture of Monocristalline Bayer Aspirin.

Thoughts at the Zoo
"Fine feathers make fine birds."
"What really interests me at the zoo is those fashionable furs."

GIRLS! A GLEAMY MASS OF BEAUTIFUL HAIR
35-Cent "Dandeline" So Improves Lifeless, Neglected Hair.

An abundance of luxuriant hair full of gloss, gleams and life shortly follows a genuine toning up of neglected scalp with dependable "Dandeline."

Falling hair, itching scalp and the dandruff is corrected immediately. Thin, dry, wispy or fading hair is quickly invigorated, taking on new strength, color and youthful beauty. "Dandeline" is delightful on the hair; a refreshing, stimulating tonic—not sticky or greasy! Any drug store.—Advertisement.

Frequent Demonstration
"Now, the only thing you kiss me, Jenny, is when you want money."
"Yes, isn't that often enough?"

Cuticura for Sore Hands.
Soak hands on retiring in the hot sudsy of Cuticura Soap, dry and rub in Cuticura Ointment. Remove surplus Ointment with tissue paper. This is only one of the things Cuticura will do if Soap, Ointment and Talcum are used for all toilet purposes.—Advertisement.

It raineth silk on the silk and the cotton umbrella.

Others Find Relief
In Alcock's Plasters from local aches and pains. So can you. One trial will convince you of their merits.—Adv.

Mirrors furnish a good deal of food for reflection.

A simple, old-fashioned medicine, as good today as in 1827, is compounded in Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills. They regulate the stomach, liver and bowels. Adv.

Humor provokes a grin, but smiles come of good will.

Laxatives do not overcome constipation

LAXATIVES and cathartics provide temporary relief only, at the expense of permanent injury. In time, says an eminent physician, an almost incalculable amount of harm is done by the use of pills, salts, mineral waters, castor oil and the like.

Some laxatives, according to an intestinal specialist, contain poisons which affect the stomach and intestines, resulting in grave disorders. Certain laxatives are a direct cause of piles.

Physicians Advise Lubrication for Internal Cleanliness
Medical science, through knowledge of the intestinal tract gained by X-ray observation, has found at last in lubrication a means of overcoming constipation. The gentle lubricant, Nujol, penetrates and softens the hard food waste and thus hastens its passage through and out of the body. Thus Nujol brings internal cleanliness.

Not a Medicine
Nujol is used in leading hospitals and is prescribed by physicians throughout the world. Nujol is not a medicine or laxative and cannot gripe. Like pure water it is harmless.

Get rid of constipation and avoid disease by adopting the habit of internal cleanliness. Take Nujol as regularly as you brush your teeth or wash your face. For sale by all druggists.

Nujol
For Internal Cleanliness

NEED NOT PAY OFF.

Nujol
FOR INTERNAL CLEANLINESS

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FOR INTERNAL CLEANLINESS

WRIGLEYS

After Every Meal
It's the longest-lasting
confection you can buy
and it's a help to di-
gestion and a cleanser
for the mouth
and teeth.
Wrigley's means
benefit as well as
pleasure.



Cuticura Talcum
is Fragrant and
Very Healthful
Keep 25c, Ointment 25 and 50c, Talcum 25c.

Relief for Coughs
Use FIBRO's cough prescription quickly
relieves children and adults.
A pleasant syrup. No opium.
35c and 60c sizes sold
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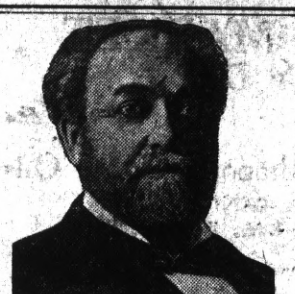
Things to Worry About
Cancer, China, etc. surrounded by
walls of brick and sandstone, twenty-
five to forty feet high and twenty feet
thick.

**WOMEN CAN DYE ANY
GARMENT, DRAPERY**
Dye or Tint Warm, Faded Things
New for 15 Cents.

Diamond Dyes

Don't wonder whether you can dye
or tint successfully, because perfect
home dyeing is guaranteed with "Diamond
Dyes" even if you have never
died before. Druggists have all colors.
Directions in each package. Adver-
tisement.

Just So
Children capable of producing
bright sayings would be a great help
to a tired humorist.



CHARACTER TELLS THE STORY!

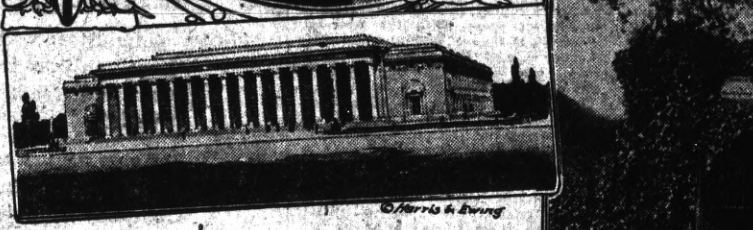
People throughout this country are
giving more thought to hygiene and to
the purity of remedies on the market,
but no one doubts the purity of Doctor
Pierce's vegetable medicines, for they
have been so favorably known for over
fifty years that everyone knows they are
just what they are claimed to be. These
medicines are the result of long research
by a well-known physician, Dr. J. C. Pierce,
M. D., who compounded them from
health-giving herbs and roots long used
in sickness by the Indians. Dr. Pierce's
reputation as a leading and honored
citizen of Buffalo, is a sufficient guaran-
tee for the purity of that splendid tonic
and blood medicine, the Golden Medical
Discovery, and the equally fine nerve
tonic and system builder for women's
ailments, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.
Send 10c for trial size. Tablets to
Dr. Pierce's Invalid Hotel, Buffalo, N.Y.

Green's August Flower
The remedy with a record of fifty-seven
years of surpassing excellence. All who
suffer with nervous dyspepsia, sour stom-
ach, constipation, indigestion, torpid liver,
dizziness, headache, colds, grip of fever,
wind on stomach, palpitation and other
indications of digestive disorder, will find
GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER an effective
and efficient remedy. For fifty-seven years
this medicine has been successfully used
in millions of households all over the civil-
ized world. Because of its merit and popu-
larity GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER can be
found today wherever medicines are sold.
25 and 50 cent bottles.

MADAME ZODIAC PORTER
COUGH BALSAM
It is a delicious, reliable, natural, and effective
remedy for all coughs and colds. It is made
from the finest ingredients and is guaranteed
to give relief. It is sold in 25c and 50c
bottles. Sold Everywhere.
HALL & RUCKEL, N. Y. OFFICE.

RUB YOUR EYES?
The Dr. Zerkow's
Eye and Ear Ointment is
the most perfect
eye and ear ointment
ever made. It is
sold in 25c and 50c
bottles. Sold Everywhere.

GEORGE WASHINGTON MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM



**New Capital Building to
Symbolize 1776 to 1917**

By JOHN DICKINSON SHERMAN
GEORGE WASHINGTON
is to have another mem-
orial in the national
capital. All good Ameri-
cans will approve. There
is no danger of overdo-
ing the memorial busi-
ness, especially when
the memorial in question
is needed and is worthy
of the "Father of His Country."

The list of memorials is impressive.
First, there is the city of Washington,
which fittingly bears his name. For it
was during his first term as our first
president that congress selected the
site of the nation's capital. And it
was due to Washington more than to
any other man that the capital is
what it is today, with the promise of
the future. For it was Washington
who set Maj. Pierre Charles L'Enfant
at work laying out the capital under
his direction. It is the judgment of
the present that no better job of the
kind was ever done. Daniel H. Burn-
ham, Augustus St. Gaudens, Charles
F. McKim and Frederick Law Olm-
sted, and who can name four higher
authorities of town-planning, architec-
ture and beauty—once sat together on
the plans of Washington and L'Enfant
and decided that they could not be
bettered.

Second, there is the Washington
monument. It is worthy of its name
and purpose.

Third, there is Mount Vernon, with
its sacred tomb—so close to Washing-
ton as to be of it. Mount Vernon is
both a national and international
shrine.

Fourth, there is the George Wash-
ington National Memorial, the corner
stone of which was laid last fall. It
is said that this will be the grandest
memorial ever constructed in honor of
Alexander, just over the Virginia line
from the District of Columbia.

Fifth, there is the National cathedral
on Mount St. Alban, with its majestic
spire complete and its foundations laid.
It is in a sense a memorial to George
Washington. Nevertheless, it will al-
ways be intimately associated with
him, for he specifically provided for
its construction in his directions to
L'Enfant.

And, sixth, there is the George
Washington Memorial building, of
which the foundations are nearing
completion.

George Washington, in his will, es-
tablished a fund amounting to about
\$25,000—a considerable sum in his
day—for the establishment of a na-
tional university at Washington. What
became of that fund is a mystery in
the present day; that the money was

STATE LETTER

Governor Richardson has appointed
the following as an advisory com-
mittee to make a survey and study of
the highway system of the state: J.
B. Gill of San Bernardino; J. H. New-
man of Tulare county; E. H. West,
engineer of the Southern California
Automobile club; A. E. Loder, engi-
neer of the California State Automobile
association; State Senator A. H.
Breed of Piedmont; Assemblyman
Elmer P. Bromley of Los Angeles; G.
G. Radcliff, chairman of the state
board of control; Louis Everding, a
member of the state highway commis-
sion, and R. M. Morton, state high-
way engineer. In announcing the
appointments the governor said, "The
people have heretofore voted \$75,000-
000 for the construction of highways
and this amount has been expended
or contracted for. By acts of the
people and by acts of the legislature
the highway system now comprises
3,400 miles of highways. Less than
2,500 miles of this has been paved
and less than 4,000 miles has been
graded. The state highway engineer
estimates that it will require \$200,000-
000 to complete the system as it now
exists and in accordance with the
standards demanded by the present
traffic. Hundreds of miles of high-
ways have been voted into the sys-
tem by legislatures with little thought
or consideration as to whether these
are necessary vital roads or not. Many
of these roads are, in fact, purely and
simply pork barrel roads, which
should never have been in the high-
way system. The committee I have
appointed will, I hope, have the
courage to investigate the problems
thoroughly and decide what roads
should be in the state highway system
and what roads should not be. I have
appointed a committee of high-class
citizens who will serve the state with-
out compensation and whose report
should have great weight."

The division of motor vehicles
points out a number of requirements
to be met in the transfer of the own-
ership of cars. First, that the certifi-
cate of ownership must be presented,
and another issued by the department
in the name of the new owner before
the sale is legal. Provisions are
made on all certificates of ownership
for signatures of the legal and the
registered owners. Where one is both
the legal and registered owner, and
desires to sell, he must sign the joint
certificate of transfer and turn it
over to the buyer, who must sign the
transfer blank. The name of the new
legal owner must appear in proper
form and all transfers must be dated.
A fee of \$1.00 is required for each
and every transfer, regardless of the
number made before the car is re-
registered, except where the first buy-
er is a dealer. A penalty is added
when application for transfer is not
made within thirty days.

The reorganization of the state
highway commission to conform with
the law passed by the last legisla-
ture, which separated the highway
building from the department of pub-
lic works, has progressed to the point
of completion, for the present. The
establishment of division X (territory
between Sacramento and the northern
Merced county line) ended in the im-
mediate work. Three new divisions
have been created, and the headquar-
ters work brought under the depart-
ments of "surveys and plans," "con-
struction, bridges and equipment,"
"maintenance," "accounting" and
"purchases." All this has been ac-
complished during the past year, un-
der Engineer Morton.

The San Leandro dam project of
the East Bay Water company was
approved by the railroad commission
in an order authorizing the issuance
of notes or bonds, covering an in-
debtedness not to exceed \$3,158,000, or
bonds not exceeding \$3,250,000, to-
gether with class "A" preferred stock,
not exceeding \$1,162,500. The com-
pany is to have full control of the
construction work, under the com-
mission's sole supervision. The com-
mission found that to permit the east
bay municipal utilities district, super-
vision would be an illegal delegation
of its own powers.

Mrs. Maude E. King of Sacramento
and Mrs. Laura L. Kelly of Los
Angeles were appointed to the state
board of charities and corrections by
Governor Richardson. Mrs. King
will succeed B. H. Fendleton of Oak-
land, term expired, and Mrs. Kelly
will succeed Mrs. Carrie P. Bryant of
Los Angeles, member of the state
board of education.

The California national guard has
received permission from the secre-
tary of war to hold a camp of in-
struction in rifle and pistol work from
May 30 to June 3 on the Lyons heights
rifle range.

My Lady's Nicotine.
"When are you going to pay this
debt?" a man was asked in court.
"Defendant—I have tried in every
way to find the money, even to rat-
tling my wife's cigarette."—London
Tit-Bits.

To Save Natural Gas.
An electrical method of producing
lampblack has been devised. This
will result in saving large quantities
of natural gas formerly used to pro-
duce the lampblack.

Slacker.
Foreman—"Ow is it that that
lumber man always carries two planks
to rout one?" Laborer—"Ow 's too
blinkin' lazy to go back for the other
one."

Albino Tree.
Albino rats and albino people are
more or less familiar to everybody.
Out in the Missouri botanical garden,
however, there was recently an albino
California redwood tree. It was grown

able the gather-
ing and housing
of great confer-
ences, both na-
tional and inter-
national. It is
planned that here
will be held in-
augural reception
national and in-
ternational con-
ventions, public
celebrations and
ceremonies, lec-
tures and con-
certs.

Underwood & Underwood
© Morris & Irving

Children Cry for Fletcher's CASTORIA



MOTHER—Fletcher's Castoria is
a pleasant, harmless Substitute for
Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teeth-
ing Drops and Soothing
Syrups, prepared for Infants
and Children all ages.

To avoid imitations, always look for the signature of *Dr. J. C. Fletcher*
Proven directions on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it.

**Two pleasant ways
to relieve a cough**
Take your choice and suit
your taste. S-B or Menthol
flavor. A sure relief for coughs,
colds and hoarseness. Put one
in your mouth at bedtime.
Always keep a box on hand.

SMITH BROTHERS
S.B. COUGH DROPS MENTHOL
Famous since 1847

Experimental Fur Farm
An experimental fur farm is being
established in the northwestern part
of New York state by the bureau of
biological survey of the United States
Department of Agriculture, in order
that observations and studies may be
made of the habits of fur-bearing ani-
mals and of the possibilities of grow-
ing them in captivity and producing
fur of good quality. A similar farm,
which has been operated by the bu-
reau at Keesville, N. Y., will be discon-
tinued as soon as the new one is ready.
The new farm is located three and one-
half miles from Saratoga Springs, N.
Y., on the state highway to Cortland,
and is more easily accessible than the
old, both by automobile and by bus
line. The tract comprises 20 acres,
of which approximately 14 are covered
by an excellent growth of timber, and
will furnish an ideal situation for the
desired purpose.

Pyramids of Egypt
The Pyramids of Egypt, some 30 in
number, date from the period between
the fourth and twelfth dynasties and
were built as tombs for the kings. The
most important group is at Gizeh
which includes the great Pyramid, the
tomb of Cheops. Its perpendicular
height is 451 feet and its base length
is 700 feet. The pyramids are built
of stone, the material for which was
taken from the hills on the opposite
bank of the Nile.

It takes a man with strong will
power to question the sincerity of his
imagination.

Deer's Swimming Suit
In winter the fur of the deer is
specially adapted for swimming. The
hairs are composed of air cells and
when the coat is about an inch long
it will suffice to float him. Most of
the bucks shed their antlers in
January.—From Nature History.

An Amazing Fact

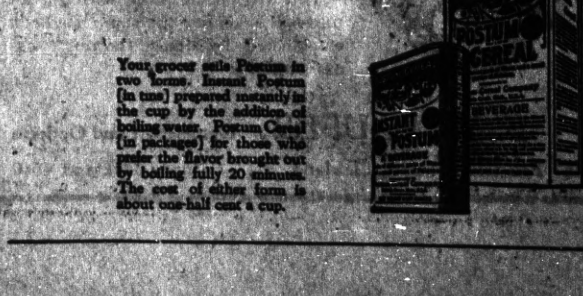
To many people it may seem in-
credible that a habit so common
as coffee-drinking can be harmful. Yet
if your doctor were to enumerate the
common causes of indigestion, head-
ache, and run-down condition, he
would be likely to mention coffee.

If you are troubled with insomnia,
nervousness, or are inclined to be
high-strung, try Postum in place of
coffee for thirty days, and note the dif-
ference in the way you feel, and how
much better you sleep.

Postum is a pure cereal beverage,
absolutely free from caffeine, or any
harmful drug.

Postum for Health

"There's a Reason"



Your grocer sells Postum in
two sizes. Instant Postum
(in tins) prepared instantly by
the cup by the addition of
boiling water. Postum Cereal
(in packages) for those who
make the cereal brought out
by boiling fully 20 minutes.
The cost of either form is
about one-half cent a cup.

INVITED TO REST



"You say the performance was too short?"
"Well—er—I could have enjoyed a longer nap."

Where one spends the summer generally depends on what else one has to spend.—Boston Transcript.

THIS IS TOO BAD

Edward Fitzgerald, the translator of "Omar Khayyam," experimented long before he found a suitable meter for the "Rubaiyat." A memorandum in his own handwriting exists, in which he quotes this quatrain: "O shall we once again beneath the beams, Of you chaste moon, renew this night's fond dreams, Or will her rays reflect a flickering path Across our lives' far separated streams?" He notes that when he copied the lines he neglected to put down the author's name, and adds that he may have read them in the "Keepsake" of 1842 or thereabout. The collector who acquired the memorandum, William Harris Arnold, says that he has had all the old "Keepsakes" in the British museum from 1835 to 1845 ransacked for the verse, but it has not come to light.

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Law of Supply and Demand May Apply to Gasoline

The expected has happened. Crude oil is gradually becoming less of a drug on the market, as consumption overtakes production. The prices of crude oil have begun to increase, with the result that the price of gasoline is following suit. The small producer of crude oil whose back has been nearly broken by low prices, will rejoice at the upward trend.

You may hear the accusation that prices have been artificially increased. The present condition in the oil industry is typical of the situation that results in any line of production when consumption exceeds production after a prolonged slump.

If a similar condition existed in regard to the farmer's wheat, the whole country would rejoice. The same law of supply and demand governs the price of each in either case, the consumer is not jubilant.

May Not Be Panacea "For All Our Ills"

Public ownership of public utilities would be 100 per cent popular if it would be pictured by some of the visionary minds. Few persons stop to think what this plan without profit might mean.

Cities are now overburdened in managing, financing, taxing themselves and raising money to handle all that is expected of them under present conditions.

They must pave streets, build sewers, maintain parks, clean the streets, conduct public schools, employ police and fire departments and support hospitals and jails.

Add to this the management of street railways, telephone systems, gas plants, electric lighting, children's playgrounds, municipal dance halls, public auditoriums, golf links and numerous other things proposed, and you double the taxpayer's burden.

The payrolls and financing of all public utility enterprises would exhaust the credit and taxing power of municipalities.

Is not the present system of using both private and public credit, private and public enterprise under sound public regulation a better system, and does it not lead to a maximum of community development?

If it were all loaded upon the general taxpayer, would it not be a staggering burden that would destroy individual enterprise and initiative.

SAD RESURRECTION

"How are you getting on?" asked a friend of an acquaintance who had gone on the stage.

"Oh, I have met with a share of success. I played Hamlet for the first time."

"Did you get through all right?"

"Yes, except that I happened to stumble and fall into Ophelia's grave."

"That must have been embarrassing."

"It was, but I wouldn't have minded it if the audience hadn't seemed so disappointed when I got out."

QUITE USED TO IT

"Did you give this man the third degree?" asked the police officer.

"Yes. We browbeat and badgered him with every question we could think of."

"What did he do?"

"He dozed off and merely murmured now and then: 'Yes, my dear, you are perfectly right!'"

"I saw it in THE TERMINAL."

SHELLFISH THAT EATS STONE

Concrete Piers Seriously Damaged by Appetite of the Pholad, a Hungry Bivalve.

The ostrich, with his passion for unusual articles of diet, has a rival in the pholad, a bivalve with a taste for concrete. Although the average size of this shellfish is rather under three inches, he has done quite a lot of damage to the piers at San Pedro, California, reports London Answers.

These piers are built on piles, which were jacketed with concrete, as a protection against the common wood-boring marine animals. The "protection," however, has proved of little use. It was discovered recently that the pholads had eaten their way through the concrete, thus allowing the wood-borers to get at the timber beneath.

How the pholad works is rather a mystery. The forward, rounded portion of its shell has a surface resembling a rasp or file, but whether this is its sole means of attacking the concrete, or whether it is aided by some secretion which softens the material, is still in doubt.

About 50 per cent of the concrete-jacketed piles in the inner harbor at San Pedro have suffered from the activities of this stone-eating shellfish.

NATURALLY



"How did Dickens play 'The Pansy'?"
"Oh, it fell flat!"

WHO KNOWS?

Stone axes used by Egyptians nearly 5,000 years ago to hew out blocks in sandstone are almost identical in form with the stone axes used by Hawaiians to within recent years to hew wood. Dr. Henry S. Washington of the Carnegie Institute, who points out this similarity, says that it may support the theory that the culture which existed on the Pacific islands and in America before the time of Columbus originated in ancient Egypt about 300 B. C. and was spread westward by sailors. However, he thinks it more probable that the Hawaiians and Egyptians worked out the problem of rough-cutting with hard stone in much the same way, but entirely independently.

TEMPTING THE WORLD

"There's a poor man outside who wants something to eat."

"Give him some bread and potatoes."

"But he seems to have seen better days."

"All right, give him a serviette, too."

EXCEEDING THE LIMIT

"I dislike talking to her; she has such a habit of finishing one's sentences for one. You know the kind?"

"Yes; they listen faster than you can talk to them."

YOUTH; NOT SOLID IVORY

Edna (aged five)—Papa bought me a fancy goldfish. He paid a dollar for it.

Charles (aged five)—Huh! It might be piked. He couldn't get a solid gold one for a dollar!

NOT YET REDUCED

"Did he ask Miss Stout to sit on his knee?"

"Yes; and I thought he was taking a good deal upon himself."

QUIET INDEED

"I like your maid, she goes about so quietly."

"Yes, she doesn't even disturb the dust."—London Opinion.

AIN'T NATURE GRAND?

"Well, and what did you think of the beauty of the Maine woods?"

"Didn't see a single girl after leaving the depot!"—Judge.

NOBODY AT HOME

Teacher was holding forth with reference to the circulation of the blood. Trying to make the matter clearer, he said:

"Now, boys, if I stood on my head, the blood, as you know, would run into it and I should turn red in the face."

"Yes, sir," chorused the pupils. "Now," continued the teacher, "what I want to know is this: How is it that while I am standing upright in the ordinary position the blood doesn't run into my feet?"

Whereupon one of the youngsters shouted: "Why, sir, because your feet ain't empty!"

FEARED THE WORST

"Why do you jump at the sound of a motor car?"

"Well, some time ago my chauffeur eloped with my wife and every time I hear a horn I think he is bringing her back."

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Contra Costa.

In the matter of Mary Volonte, deceased.

No. 5620.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of Mary Volonte, deceased, to the creditors of, and to all persons having claims against said decedent, to file them with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of Contra Costa county, State of California, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to the said administrator at the law office of J. E. Rodgers and A. F. Bray, 1720 Broadway Building, Martinez, California, the same being designated as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated January 10, 1924.

CHARLES E. DALRY.

Administrator of the Estate of Mary Volonte, Deceased.

Jy 18 1915 Rodgers & Bray, Attys for Adm'r

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Contra Costa.

In the matter of the Estate of Nellie Theresa Bunn, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administratrix of the estate of Nellie Theresa Bunn, deceased, to the creditors of, and to all persons having claims against said decedent, to file them with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of Contra Costa county, State of California, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to the said administratrix at the law office of J. E. Rodgers and A. F. Bray, 1720 Broadway Building, Martinez, California, the same being designated as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated January 31, 1924.

MRS. GRACE KRUMLAND.

Administratrix of the Estate of Nellie Theresa Bunn, Deceased.

J. E. Rodgers and A. F. Bray, Martinez, California, Attorneys for Administratrix

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NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete registration of voters is required by law during the year 1924. Every person entitled thereto must register thirty days before any election at which he or she desires to vote. Registration for the purpose of voting at municipal elections for towns of the sixth class closes March 14, 1924. Registration for the purpose of voting at Presidential Primary election closes April 5, 1924. Registration for purpose of voting at August Primary election closes July 26, 1924. Registration for the purpose of voting at General election closes October 4, 1924.

You may register with the county clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated January 10, 1924.

J. H. WELLS.

County Clerk of Contra Costa County, State of California.

The following are the Registration Deputies:

Richmond—A. C. Faris, L. W. Brougham, City Hall; Miss Georgia Johnson, 208 Richmond ave.; H. P. Vaughn, 610 Macdonald ave.; Miss Fannie Nesbit, 621 Biwell ave.; H. G. Stidman, 621 Washington ave.; M. J. Gordon, 321 Macdonald ave.; H. O. Watson, 931 Macdonald ave.; Mrs. Lillian Blake, 2802 Cutting blvd.; R. V. March, 425 7th st.; R. L. Webb, 5206 Highland ave. El Cerrito—Mrs. Alice M. Morris, Mrs. Onnie K. Curry, Mrs. Flora O. Adams, John Sandvick, 1924. San Pablo—Frank Silva, Mrs. Grace Silva, Mrs. Lillie Whisler. 1-04

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